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Sub:- Recovery of the Advances
Sanctioned for the execution of
earthwork to unrestored minor
tanks in the Seasonal Districts

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 9-14

Part B. for July 12.

SUBJECT.

Recovery of the advances sanctioned for
the execution of earth work to unrestored
minor tanks in the several Districts.

9. From the Revenue Comr, no: 3697.8 9.10.11
Submits a report on the subject.
- 10 To the Revenue Comr, the Comptroller, the Chief Engineer and Dy Commr
of Districts.
Ep. Co. No: R 4 376-86 & 17.2.12
Issues instructions in regard to the grant of advances for
the execution of the earth work to the minor tanks & the recovery
of the same.
- 11 To the Dy Commr of Kolur, Mysore & Kader Dk.
No: R 4990-2 & 15.3.12
States that the delay in furnishing the information regarding
recovery of the advances for the earth work to minor tanks is not
G. R. S. 88: factory & request them to furnish the info to Rev: Comr
above
- 12 From the Dy Comr, Chyavre Dk no: 4718 16.3.12, forwards copy of the
letter to the Rev: Comr, furnishing the information on the subject.

13 From the Revenue Comr, no: 14242 of 13.6.12

Forwards a consolidated statement showing the amount advanced to ryots for earth work and the amount recovered during 1910-11 ten

14 To the Revenue Comr, in Mysore

G.O. No: R368 of 20.7.12

Directs the submission of a consolidated statement showing the recoveries of advances made for the earth work to minor tanks in the several Districts by the end of August every year.

M. A. Srinivasan

21.8.12

Srinivasan

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Apr)

NOTES.

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FILE HEADING.

Recovery of the advances sanctioned
for the execution of earthwork to
unrestored minor tanks in the several
Dh.

From

The Rev. Commr in Mysore

No. 3697

Dated 9.10.11

Received 15.10.11

Diary No. 1878

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Submit a report on the recoveries
made towards the advances sanctioned
for the earthwork to unrestored minor tanks
in the several Dh.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

9/11/11

This report was called for in G.O. no. R 6978-9 - Apr 79-10-6 & 28.6.12.

2. Until the year 1908-09 no separate
allotments used to be granted for earth
work to unrestored tanks. During that

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year however, on account of the distress a large amount of Rs 90,000 was sanctioned for granting advances to the ryots for executing their share of earthwork to minor tanks. In 1909-10 no allotment was sanctioned. & in 1910-11 a sum of Rs 16000 was sanctioned. As statistics have not been furnished for all the tanks it is not known how much of the above allotment was actually utilized. ~~The figures considered are as follows:-~~

3 It is stated that there is a great confusion in the matter of maintaining accounts of advances & recoveries in respect of unrestored tanks.

1st No separate account is kept of the allotment separately sanctioned for this purpose in the Revenue Dept.

2nd The disbursement & recoveries in respect of both unrestored & restored tanks are shown in a single account in true Rs.

3rd The system of granting these advances is not based on any principle in many of the Rs.

The Rev Commr states that it is therefore not possible to get accurate accounts from the Bⁿ to show the amounts spent in this behalf & the amount received.

~~Page~~ 4. The experienced joined as
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cost being debited as an advance to the raijals. Where the earthwork is being done at folk cost, it is necessary to make a preliminary estimate of it so that its approximate cost may be entered in the muster rolls issued by the raijals and the instalments in which it is payable also determined. As soon as the work is completed the P. & D. should inform the Revenue of the exact cost so that the amount may be apportioned between the raijals & noted in their folios. These advances are quite distinct from advances required to meet the cost of earthwork which raijals have failed to do. The actual amounts handed over to the Revenue Department for upkeep are immediately recoverable.

5. Where a lumpsum is given to the raijals to do the earthwork, there is no difficulty as the amount to be paid by each raijal can be at once determined.

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Please put up a draft referring
to the irregularities indicating
the correct procedure

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1 Draft appended Dewar
response

2. Workshop should be held
Revised when Mysore 8/11/11

3. Making in the reports

4. To take place a month later
Statement for the entire States by
the 11th Nov 1911 (8/11/11)

P. A. H.

For note and action after issue of the draft

15/12/11

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Draft issued

To the Rev Comr in Mysore, Engrs
Chief Insp. & Dy Commr 7.12.11
Ep. No R 4376-86-2 17.2.12

Issues instructions in regard to the

File No. 79 of 1980-4

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the grant of advances for the
execution of earthwork to unrestrained
minor tanks and the recovery of
the same -

10. Subd with a draft order
in accordance with para 2
of the Dewan's orders 7.11.2.12

Supra
Passd
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11. Issue

12/13/12

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11 To The Dy Commr of Kolar, Mysore &
Kodur Dist.

Letter No R 4990-2 of 15.3.12

States that the delay in furnishing
info re recoveries towards advances
for earthwork to unrestrained minor tanks
is very unsatisfactory and requests
them to furnish the Rev Commr the
necessary info at once to enable
him to prepare a consolidated Rpt.

Memo No R 4993 of 15/3/12

Copy forwarded to the Rev Commr

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with a request that a consolidated statement may be sent to Govt.

12 From the Dy Commr. Mysore Dt
Letter No 471 d 16.3.12
With refce to S. No. 11, forward
a copy of his report to the Rev Commr
in the matter.

13 From the Rev Commr
No 14242 d 13.6.12
Forwards a consolidated
statement showing the amounts
advanced for Santhosha & unvested
minor tanks. The amounts recovered
during 1910-11 and the balance and
states that as the Dy Commr reports
that the Amildars of Mandya &
Nagamangala have not taken
any action towards the adjustment of
the advances, their inaction appears
to deserve notice.

12 The confusion existing in all the Ds
in regard to the treatment of the
advances for Santhosha & unvested
minor tanks and the advances.

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for maintenance work of restored tanks was brought to the notice of Govt in October 1911 and in G.O. No. R 4326-86 & 17/2/12 (Serial no 10 supra), Govt enunciated the principles to be followed in future.

13. The Consolidated Statement was called for as per orders of the Dewan & 11-2-12 (page 5 supra).

It relates to the off year 1910-11 and as it is it does not represent the State of the advances for Earthwork ~~for~~ to unrestricted minor tanks alone, as in some of the ~~8th~~ the advances for ~~Earth~~ repairs to restored tanks also were mixed up with the above.

14. The total amount of the advances to be recovered, during the year was Rs 92,349 of which Rs 17,334 were recovered in the course of the year and a balance of Rs 75,429 was outstanding at the close of the year. Of the accounts recovered a sum of Rs 414 is stated to have been recovered in excess of the advances in the Shikarpur & Nodun Taluks. In the Shikarpur

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Take itself the amount recovered in
been ~~is to~~ R. 356. and the
Rev. Commr. states that the Dy.
Commr. has been asked to explain
it.

Subd for order.

Dec.

(65) 27.6.12 (15) (9)

In many cases the
amount is recoverable in instalments.
Please ascertain the amount that
was actually to be recovered during
the year so that we may find
out whether the recoveries made
are satisfactory.

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27/6/12

Subd

(16) It is ascertained from the Comptroller's
Office that the amount that was actually
to be recovered during the year 1910-11
cannot be found out as the accounts
from the General Ds have not been
received in a proper form. From this
year forward the Comptroller has
prescribed proper forms in which
the accounts should be sent up from

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from this year forward
the Sts as directed in the G.O. of
17th Feb 1912. (8th para 10 supra).

Subd
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(SS) 28/6/12-29/6

Please put up a draft
showing & pointing out the
discrepancies & stating that in
future the amounts to be
received during the year
should be shown separately
so that it may be judged
whether the accounts are
satisfactory and sufficient to
show the recovery is deficient.

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To The Rev. Comr in Mysore
G.O. no. 368 of 20-7-12

Direct the submission of
a consolidated statement showing
revenues of advances for
execution of plan works &
unrestored minor works in the
several D^{ns} by the end of August
every year.

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OFFICE OF THE REV. COMR. IN MYSORE,

Bangalore, 2 October 1911. 190

Rajasabha Bhushana,

FROM

K.P. Puttanna Chetty Esquire,
Rajaharya Pravina,

~~A. RANGASWAMI IYENGAR, Esq., B.A., B.L.,~~

Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

DIARY No. 1878

To

The Secretary to the Government of

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

General & Revenue Departments.

1911-1912
SECTION <u>Agri</u>
P. O. No. <u>79-60</u>
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SIR,

With reference to para 4 of Government Proceedings No.R. 6978-9/Agri.79-10-6 dated 28th June 1911, calling for a report shewing how much of the advances sanctioned for the execution of earthwork to unrestored minor tanks was recovered during the year 1910-11, I have the honor to state that in spite of the clear instructions and the reminders issued by this office, the Deputy Commissioners of the Kolar, Mysore and Kadur Districts have not submitted their reports on this subject. The statements received from the Deputy Commissioners of the other Districts except Bangalore, and copies of the marginally noted communications from the Deputy Commissioners of Bangalore and Hassan are forwarded herewith. A sum of Rs 292/- is said to have been recovered during the year 1910-11 in the Hassan District, and a sum of Rs 1786/-. in the Tumkur District, out of a balance of Rs 3,334/- and Rs 20,192/- respectively. The Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore states that Rs 697/- was recovered up to the end of June 1911, out of Rs 5,591/- advanced in connection with the distress of the year 1908-09 but has not separately shewn the amount recovered in the year 1909-10. Nor is it clear whether there were no arrears of advances granted prior to 1908-09 and if there were, no recoveries towards the same. The Deputy Commissioner of Shimoga states that a sum of Rs 2,577/- was recovered last year

year, but there is some discrepancy in the figures. The Deputy Commissioner of the Chitaldrug District, states that Rs 1,858 was recovered during the year 1909-10 and 1910-11, towards the advances granted both in respect of minor unrestored tanks and restored tanks.

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2. From the particulars referred to above, and from the information furnished in respect of such advances in the Revenue and Maramat Administration Reports of the several Districts for the year 1910-11, it would appear that there is some confusion in the accounts pertaining to these advances. The amounts disbursed as advances, for the execution of earthwork to unrestored minor tanks were formerly being met out of the allotments made by Public Works Department for the minor tanks restoration scheme. Since the year 1908-09 they are being met from special allotments provided for in the ~~Ways and Means~~ Estimate and distributed by the Revenue Department. But a separate account~~s~~ does not appear to have been maintained for the payments made out of the funds sanctioned by the Revenue Department and the recoveries effected towards the same. Further, in the year 1908-09, a large amount of expenditure was incurred, in respect of both unrestored minor tanks and restored tanks, and in several districts, the disbursements and recoveries in respect of these two classes of works appear to have been shewn in a single account.

3. There is also some laxity in the system of granting advances for the execution of earthwork to unrestored minor tanks. The Rules contemplate the grant of advances in cash to ryots in cases of hardship but, in many districts, the practice seems to be to have the earthwork done by the Government agency (vide copy of letter No.117 dated 2nd August 1911 appended) and this practice appears to have been found specially expedient and widely followed during the scarcity of 1908-09. The expenditure thus incurred on behalf of ryots seems to have been mixed up with the out-lay incurred on behalf of Government on stone and masonry work, out of the funds allotted by Public Works Department.

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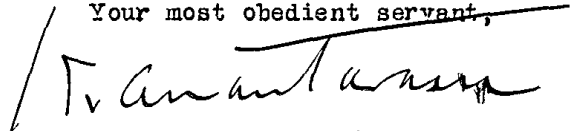
4. Under these circumstances it has not been possible to get accurate accounts from the Districts to shew either the amounts spent on behalf of ryots from time to time, or the amounts recovered from them.

5. As an instance of the difficulty experienced in the District in regard to these advances, I forward herewith a copy of letter No.722 dated 25th April 1910 from the Deputy Commissioner Mysore District. As a preliminary step towards simplifying the account procedure, a committee consisting of the Deputy Commissioner of Mysore, the Executive Engineer of Mysore and the Assistant Examiner of Public Works and Railway Accounts was, in consultation with the Chief Engineer and the Comptroller, appointed in February last to consider the question fully and their report is awaited.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,



For Revenue Commissioner.

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Letter No.136 dated 30th August 1911 from the Deputy Commissioner Bangalore District to the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

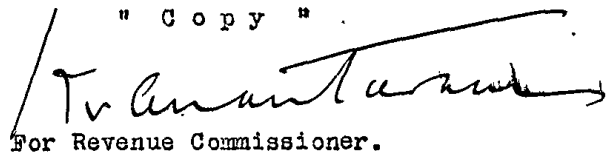
With reference to your memo No.12972/75 dated the 29th June last, forwarding copy of Government Order No.6978/9Agri.79-10-6 dated the 28th idem, and calling for a report regarding recoveries made in this District, out of the advances made to the ryots, on account of doing earthwork to unrestored minor tanks, during the distress of 1908-09, I have the honor to report that a sum of Rs 5,590-13-3 was advanced in 1908-09, out of Rs 9,000/- placed at my disposal for this purpose. No fresh advance was made in the year 1910-11.

Out of the advanced amount viz: Rs 5,590-13-3, a sum of Rs 696-15-7 was collected up to the end of June 1911, leaving a balance of Rs 4,893-13-8 to be collected. The advances outstanding against the ryots in the Taluks of Bangalore, Devenahalli, Nelamangala and Dodballapur, are very heavy; while those in Hosakote, Magadi, Closepet, and Channapatna, are low. The Amildar of Magadi has collected almost the entire amount of advance.

The attention of the other Amildars has been repeatedly drawn to recover the advances without any delay. Their reports are awaited.

In this connection, I would request the Revenue Commissioner to obtain the sanction of Government for an additional allotment of Rs 2,000/-, to make payments to contractors who have completed the work, as they cannot be made to wait for payment, till the recovery of the amount from the ryots concerned,

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For Revenue Commissioner.

V.M.R.

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Letter No.102/R dated 5th September 1911 from the Deputy
Commissioner Hassan District to the Revenue Commissioner in
Mysore.

With reference to your docket No.2095-2101 dated 23rd August
1911, calling for information regarding the recovery of advances
granted to ryots under the minor tanks Restoration Scheme, for
executing earth work to unrestored minor tanks during the year
1910-11, I have the honor to submit herewith, a statement showing
the advances made and actually granted to ryots for the purpose
and the recoveries made during the year 1910-11.

2. It may be observed that all the instalments due from the ryots
of the Belur Taluk up to end of June 1911 have been recovered and
adjusted but nothing recovered towards the advances granted to
ryots in the Hassan and Chennarayapatna Taluks. The Amildars of
the two latter mentioned Taluks have been directed to take imme-
diate action towards the speedy recovery of the instalments due
from the ryots of those Taluks, and to submit their explanations
for not having made any collections in this respect during 1910
-11.

" C O P Y "


For Revenue Commissioner.

V.M.R.



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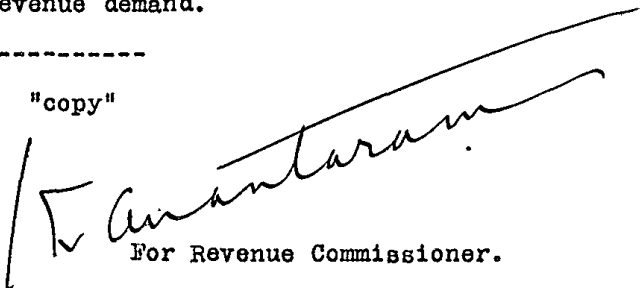
Letter No. 117 dated the 1st August 1911 from the Deputy Commissioner Mysore District to the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

I have the honour to forward herewith a statement showing the progress under the minor tanks restoration scheme during the year 1910-11 as called for in your No. 1114-21 dated the 26th ultimo. The progress under the scheme is as per existing rules dependent on the ryots^s doing their share of work themselves, and owing to want of cooperation among themselves in many cases and as much also as to the absentee land lords outnumbering the resident land lords in many other cases the ryots have not been able to do their share of work themselves even in such cases where they are very eager for the restoration of their tanks and have agreed to pay, by mutchalikas, the cost of their share of works in full. I did not apply for any grant for sanctioning fresh works during the year; the figures shown in the statement apply only to incomplete works of previous years. The special establishment entertained under the scheme had in many cases not adequate work during the year and unless something is done towards the better working of the scheme I am afraid the special establishment charges would be found to be out of all proportion to the work turned out. Many of the Taluks have a large number of tanks for the restoration of which the ryots are very eager and though by retaining a tank Inspector there is scope for much useful work being done, he has not been able to show sufficient work as it is not in his hands to collect all the interested ryots at one place and time and get the required work done by them. It is necessary that adequate grants should be allotted for the districts to enable the ryots' share of works also being undertaken by departmental agency in deserving cases. Thus in a case in which the restoration of a /

Tank

tank is remunerative to Government and eagerly sought for by the ryots there should be sufficient provision to take up the restoration of the tank if the ryots bind themselves to pay their share of cost as a revenue demand.

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T. Anantaram

For Revenue Commissioner.



T.S.K.

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Letter No.722 dated 25th April 1910 from the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District to the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

With reference to your circular No.7496-503 dated the 27th January 1910 I have the honor to forward herewith two statements shewing particulars of advances made for Earthwork to restored and unrestored Tanks for information, and to state that stringent orders have been issued to Amildars for the recovery of the advances. As there are some difficulties in the recovery of these advances I beg to bring them to your notice.

2. In the case of unrestored minor tanks the advances made have to be recovered during the collection season as per terms of the Mutchalikas obtained from the land owners. The recoveries in this class of works have to be effected only once every year.

3. The works under the head 'restored tanks' have to be arranged into two classes for the purposes of recovery :- (a) works costing more than a year's assessment under the tank and works costing less a year's assessment. Recoveries for works of the (a) class can be effected even before the works are actually completed as the ryots are liable to pay a year's assessment. I have furnished lists of these tanks to the Amildars and directed them to recover a year's assessment from the ryots concerned and report for having done so within a month.

4. Recoveries for works of the (b) class cannot be effected until ~~the~~ the works are actually completed as it is only then that the exact amounts to be recovered from each ryot can be ascertained by means of Hancheke patties shewing the distribution of cost among the interested ryots. Thus it can be seen that while the outlay incurred up to date has added considerably to the amount recoverable from the ryots, the advances themselves cannot just

at present be recovered as the works have been in most cases incomplete.

5. I beg in this connection to bring to your kind notice certain inconveniences arising from the existing procedure of debiting the cost of earth work from Public Works Department to the Civil Department. The outlay incurred by cheques monthly on works which has to be recovered from the defaulting ryots is, after audit by the D.P.W. Comptroller, passed on to the Civil Department for recovery and however small the amount may be, it will have to be distributed to the several ryots by means of Hancheke Patties and the process of recovery should commence thereon. Cases in which a work is completed in one month are of very rare occurrence and as in almost all cases works are operated upon for months and sometimes for years together, it so happens that for any one work there will be many payments each of which will be separately debited to the Civil Department for recovery. Thus as per system now obtaining many Hancheke Patties have to ^{be} prepared for the recovery of the amount spent on any one work, and a ryot is called upon to pay many times for the cost of his share of earthwork &c, to a tank. It is not possible either for the recovering officers to know which outlay will be the last one for any one work or for the ryots to know how many times he has to pay for the same work and whether he is called upon to pay more than what he ought to pay. The preparation of ^{more} Hancheke Patties than one and the process of recovery to be undergone more than once for the same work have increased the clerical as well as executive work to a considerable degree and I would therefore suggest that the Comptroller may be requested to suggest a change in the procedure. I would also suggest that until a work is completed the outlay incurred thereon be held in suspense in the accounts of the P.W.D. and that the total outlay be transferred once for all to the Civil Department for recovery after the work is completed. This change in the procedure will, it is believed, minimise unnecessary labour besides facilitating recovery of the

advances on account of earth work easily. I solicit the favour of orders in the matter.

" C o p y "

T. Arantaram

For Revenue Commissioner.

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V.M.R.

Diary No. of letter replied to 1828

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.GENERAL AND REVENUE
SECRETARIAT.

(Agri)

READ-- Para 4 of ~~Agri~~

the 19

Date of issue 17.2.12

Signed by Mr P. S. S' Souza

Govt Order no R 6978-9

Agri 79-10-6 & 28-6-1911
requesting the Revenue to submit
calling for a report showing

how much of the advances

ORDER THEREON:--No.

sanctioned for the execution
of earthwork to unrestored
minor tanks in the several
District was recovered during
the year 1910-11

over

SUBJECT.

Issues instructions in regard to the
granting advances for the execution of earth-
work to unrestored minor tanks & recovery
of the same.copy
15/17/12

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2. Letter No 3692 of 9.10.11
from the Revenue Commr
in charge submitting a
report in the matter.

Order thereon

No. R. 4376-86

Dated - 17 - 2 - 12

The details of the amounts
recovered as reported by the Rev
Commr are as shown ~~below~~ -
~~following detailed statements~~

Advances utilized by the end of June 1911.	Amount recovered	Balance
Bangalore 5391	697	4894
Tumkur 2492 ~~2034~~	1786	18406
Hassan 3334	292	3042
Bhimogal 2644	2577	67
Chitalang 4212	1858	2354

The Deputy Commr of Hassan
and Hassan have not
submitted their reports
2.
The Revenue Commr remarks
that the Dy Commr Bangalore &

The figures for Hassan
Mysore & Madur
Districts are not shown
Alone because the
Dy Commr is concerned
there - should ~~not~~ be
sent - and without
further delay -

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SECRETARIAT.

(Continuation Sheet draft form.)

has not separately
shown the amount received
in 1909-10, that there
is some discrepancy
in the figures furnished
by the Deputy Commis-
sioner, Shimoga District
and that in the Chital-
drug District the
accounts relating to
the advances on account
of the restored and
unrestored tanks have
been mixed up in
one account.

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2. The Revenue
Commissioner further brings
to the notice of Govt.
the following irregula-
rities in respect of the
treatment of the
advances for earthwork

unrestored minor tanks: —

(i) No separate account is maintained for the payments made out of the funds sanctioned for the purpose by the Revenue Dept and the recoveries effected towards the same.

(ii) The disbursements and recoveries in respect of earthenwork to restored and unrestored tanks are shown in some districts in a single account.

(iii) There is some laxity in the system of granting advances for the execution of earthenwork to unrestored minor tanks.

B. G. T.

GENERAL AND REVENUE -
SECRETARIAT.

(Continuation Sheet draft form.)

4/8 Govt observe that the above irregularities are mainly due to a want of proper comprehension of the procedure to be followed in making these advances. The experience now gained emphasizes the importance of leaving it to the rajahs themselves to do the earthwork; unvested minor lands before Govt undertake any further work and where the rajahs are unable to meet the cost of the earthwork from their private resources, it is preferable to make an advance when necessary to the rajahs for the purpose instead of employing Govt agency where the earthwork is done by Govt a preliminary sketch of the work should always be made of the amount recoverable from the rajahs approximately entered in the marshalling to be ^{taken from} ~~incurred~~ by the rajahs together with the statements in

which it is payable. After
 the work is carried out
 the exact amount should
 be entered and the sum
 removable each year noted
 in the ~~form~~ each range
 letter so that it may be
 reviewed with the revenue
 demand. The cost of
 earthwork, which has been
 done is restored later by
 lost as a result of the
~~range~~ neglect of the range
 is ~~quite~~ different work covered
 by the same principles and
 the 2 classes of accounts should
 be maintained distinct. It
 must be noted that more attention
 will be paid in all
 the District ~~Office~~ during
 the current year for the
~~the~~ recovery of these advances
 & then every attempt made
 to remove the confusion

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The Rev Commr

The Commr

The Ch Secy

The Commr & D. S.

11 Feb 12

1911-12

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS
THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

REVENUE
(AGRICULTURE)

PROCEEDINGS

Dated 17th February 1912

No. R. 4376-86
Agri. 79-10-10

Issuing instructions in regard to
the grant of advances for the execution of
earthwork to unrestored minor tanks and
the recovery of the same.

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

READ—

Para 4 of Government Order No. R. 6978-9—Agri. 79-10-6, dated the 28th June 1911, requesting the Revenue Commissioner to submit a report showing how much of the advances sanctioned for the execution of earthwork to unrestored minor tanks in the several districts was recovered during the year 1910-11.

2. Letter No. 3697, dated 9th October 1911, from the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, submitting a report in the matter.

No. R. 4376-86—AGRI. 79-10-10, DATED BANGALORE, 17TH FEBRUARY 1912.

ORDER THEREON.—The details of the amounts recovered as reported by the Revenue Commissioner, are as shown below :—

District	Advances utilised till the end of June 1911	Amount recovered	Balance
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bangalore	5,591	697	4,894
Tumkur	20,192	1,786	18,406
Hassan	3,334	292	3,042
Shimoga	2,644	2,577	67
Chitaldrug	4,212	1,858	2,354

The figures for Kolar, Mysore and Kadur Districts are not shown above, because the Deputy Commissioners concerned have not submitted their reports. These should be submitted and without further delay.

2. The Revenue Commissioner remarks that the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, has not separately shown the amount recovered in 1909-10, that there is some discrepancy in the figures furnished by the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, and that in the Chitaldrug District the accounts relating to the advances on account of the restored and unrestored tanks have been mixed up in one account.

3. The Revenue Commissioner further brings to the notice of Government, the following irregularities in respect of the treatment of the advances for earthwork to unrestored minor tanks :—

(i) No separate account is maintained for the payments made out of the funds sanctioned for the purpose by the Revenue Department and the recoveries effected towards the same.

(ii) The disbursements and recoveries in respect of earthwork to restored and unrestored tanks are shown in some districts in a single account.

(iii) There is some laxity in the system of granting advances for the execution of earthwork to unrestored minor tanks.

4. Government observe that the above irregularities are mainly due to a want of proper comprehension of the procedure to be followed in making these advances. The experience now gained emphasises the importance of leaving it to the raiyats themselves to do the earthwork of unrestored minor tanks before Government undertake any further work; and where the raiyats are unable to meet the cost of the earthwork from their private resources, it is preferable to make an advance when necessary to the raiyats for the purpose instead of employing Government agency. Where the earthwork is done by Government, a preliminary estimate of the work should always be made and the amount recoverable from the raiyats approximately entered in the mutchalikas taken from the raiyats, together with the instalments in which it is payable. After the work is carried out, the exact amount should be

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Revenue (Agriculture), dated 17th February 1912.

entered and the sum recoverable each year noted in each raiyat's patta, so that it may be recovered with the revenue demand. The case of earthwork which has to be done to restored tanks by Government as a result of the neglect of the raiyats is not governed by the same principles, and the two classes of accounts should be maintained distinct. Government trust that more attention will be paid in all the districts during the current year for the recovery of these advances and strenuous attempts made to remove the confusion.

C. S. BALASUNDARAM IYER,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.
The Comptroller, Mysore Government.
The Chief Engineer in Mysore.
The Deputy Commissioners of Districts,

Exd.—C. V.

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Apr File No. 79-10

Serial No. 11

Diary No. of letter replied to

No. R. 4990-92

General and Revenue Secretariat

To

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the 19 .

The Dy Commr of
Kolar, Mysore &
Kadur D.D.

Date of issue 15-3-12

Signed by Mr. P. S. D. Souza

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In inviting your
attention to G.O.

No 4376-86- Apr 79-10-

10 & 17.2.12 I am

directed to ~~point out~~ that

~~great regret that~~

observe in spite of the ~~clear~~
instructions & reminders

over.

SUBJECT.

Direct: The Dismissal of Statemts
re advances for Earthwork to unvested
minor tanks, to the Rev Commr

CPD
CW
6/2/12

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sent to you by the
Rev Council, the in-
formation called for
in Ld. No. R 6978-9
Apr 29-10-6 & 28-6-6
regarding the recovery
of advances ^{referred to} ~~assessed~~
for the ~~execution of the~~
~~earthwork to be restored~~
~~mine works in the~~
~~area during 1910-11~~
has not been received

from your ~~office~~ ^{that} the delay is
therefore.

2. I am to request
that ^{you will be good enough to} ~~the~~ necessary informa-
tion ^{may be} immediately
furnished to the

Rev Council to enable
him to prepare a
Consolidated Statement
for submission to Govt.

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Copied by

Examined by

List of enclosures,

GPB-20,000-25-9-10

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GENERAL AND REVENUE
SECRETARIAT.

(Continuation sheet draft form.)

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Memo No. R. 4993

D. 15-2-12

Copy of the above is
forwarded to the Rev. Commr
in Mysore with a request
that a consolidated State-
ment showing the amounts
advanced & recovered
in all the D^{ts} during
the year 1910-11 may
be prepared and subd
for the information of
Govt at an early date

The statements
received with his letter
no 86978 9.10.11 are
returned herewith.

By order

OSB 12/3/12
For Secy

6/19/12

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No. 471
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Office of the Deputy Commissioner

Mysore District

Dated Mysore 16.3.12

From:

K. Krishna Iyer Esquire

Agri 79-10
S no 12

Offg. Deputy Commissioner Mysore District.

To

C.S. Balasundram Iyer Esquire B.A.

Offg. Secretary to the Government of Mysore

Genl and Rev. Departments.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. R 4990-2 / Agri. 79-10-

11 dated 15.3.12 I have the honor to forward herewith for

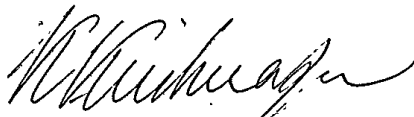
information a copy of my letter dated this day to the Revenue

Commissioner in Mysore.

I have the honor to be

sir,

Your most obedient servant



Offg. Deputy Commissioner

Mysore District.



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From

K. Krishniah Esq.

Offg Deputy Commissioner

To C. S. Balasubrahmanyan Esq. 2-10
Offg. Secretary to Government
General and Revenue Dept.

Dated

16.3.12.

Despatched

Received

General No. 471

No.

Enclosure No. 2.

Submits copies of nos 394 and
825 dated 24.1.12 and 16.3.12
addressed to the Comptroller
Mysore Government and to the
Revenue Commissioner in
Mysore respectively re to
recoveries of advances
made for earthwork for
masonry tanks.

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Office of the Deputy Commissioner

Mysore District.

Dated Mysore 16th March 1912.

From

K. Krishna Iyer Esquire

Offg. Deputy Commissioner

Mysore District.

To

K. S. Dorasami Iyer Esquire

Offg. Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to Government order No. 4376-86 Agri 79-10-10 dated the 17th February 1912 in re the recoveries of advances made for earthwork to minor tanks I have the honor to inform you that the total amount of advances granted to ~~X~~ryots up to date in this respect is Rs. 15739-4-1. Against this sum a recovery of Rs. 3658-9-1 is credited in accounts but this recovery represents only a part of the recovery actually effected. The Amildars of Mandya and Nagamangala have not reported the amounts recovered in their Taluks, and the Amildars of Hunsur and Malavally Taluks have not furnished details for some recoveries made by them to enable a verification with Treasury accounts. Stringent reminders have been issued to these officers. The balance of the advance remaining unrecovered as per accounts of this is Rs. 12060-11-0. I enclose for your information a copy of my letter No. 394 of 24.1.12 to the Comptroller in this matter.

I have the honor to be
sir,
your most obedient servant.

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K. Krishna Iyer Sd/- K. Krishna Iyer

Offg. Deputy Commissioner,
Mysore District.

Offg. Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District.

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From

*The Dy Commr
Mysore Dt*

To

*The Dy Commr
in Mysore*

Dated

16-3-12

Despatched

Received

General No. *825*
No.

Enclosure No.

*Report on the
recovery of advances
granted for the
execution of work
to construct minor
tanks*

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.

BS

Read-

Letter No.9 dated 3rd July 1911, from the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District, submitting for approval, as required in Govt. Order No.R.6471-4/Agri.1118-10-4 dated 29th May 1911, a draft of the bond to be executed by Mr.B.S.Krishna Iyengar of the Sree Krishna Weaving Factory, Mysore, and his surety Mr.B.Srinivasiengar for a loan of Rs.2000/- sanctioned in the above order for the purpose of enlarging the scope of the Weaving Industry carried on by him, and stating that, if the draft be approved, necessary action will be taken in the matter.

Order thereon No. 2866 (En a dft bond & 2 schedules)
Agri.1118-10-6.
Dated Bangalore the 29th July 1911.

The draft of the bond is approved and returned herewith for needful action. It might have been prepared without the employment of so many English words. The penal rate of one per cent should be one per cent per mensem. In the Schedule, Byata Rao's address should be correctly given.

Fair Ht)

For Offg. Secretary to Govt.
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To

The Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District.

SRM

Letter No. 394 of 24.1.12 from the Deputy Commissioner

Mysore to the Comptroller to the Government of Mysore

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 3904, dated the 9th inst. ^{J.A. 24.6.17}
I have the honor to inform you that the actual amount paid out of the special grant for advances for earthwork to minor tanks is Rs. 15719-4-1 to end of June 1911. The amount paid as per statements received from you is Rs. 11670-14-6 and on verifying the statements with the accounts of this office the following details for the difference have been arrived at Viz. Rs. 1948-9-8 being the total of advance memos drawn on the 30th June 11, and Rs. 2099-11-11 debited to other heads as explained in the enclosed copy of docket No. 659 dated the 20th instant from the District Treasury Officer. The details furnished in the reference from the Treasury Officer work up to Rs. 2317-11-11 and it is seen from ^{part} the remarks in the body of the statement for 09-10 received from you that a sum of Rs. 218 out of this sum has been debited to the correct head in the accounts for August 1909. As regards the expenditure incurred on the 30th June no adjustment is necessary as the same should have been taken into account during subsequent months as the advance memos were cashed; but as regards the difference of Rs. 2099-11-1 (viz. Rs. 2317-11-11 - Rs. 218) as explained above) some adjustments are necessary and I shall be glad if you will cause the necessary adjustments being made in accounts.

2. As regards the recoveries made towards the adjustment of these advances the reports received from the Amildars up to date go to show that recoveries to the extent of over Rs. 5000 have been made whereas only a sum of Rs. 133-11-8 has been shown in the statements received from you. In cases where details were reported the Treasury Officer has been requested to report the head of account to which the recoveries have been ~~credited~~ credited and in cases where no details were reported the Amildars have been directed to furnish the required details

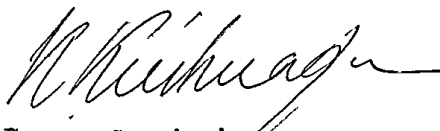
I hope I shall be able to send up a correct statement in this respect to you within a month.

I have etc. ,

sd. M. Kantaraj Urs.

Deputy Commissioner Mysore Dt.

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Offg. Deputy Commissioner

Mysore District.



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OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE,

Dated, Bangalore, 13th June 1912. 191

FROM

K. Doraswami Iyer Esquire,

Offg. Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

DIARY NO.

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FILE NO. 79-10

SERIAL NO. 13

TO

The Secretary to the Government of

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

General & Revenue Departments.

SIR,

Adverting to correspondence ending with your memo No.R.4993/Agri.79-10-11, dated 15th March 1912, I have the honor to submit herewith a consolidated statement showing the amounts advanced for earthwork to unrestored minor tanks, the amounts recovered therefrom during 1910-11, and the balance which remained unadjusted at the close of that year. As pointed out in para 2 of this office letter No.3697, dated 9th October 1911, the disbursements and recoveries in respect of advances for earthwork to unrestored minor tanks seem to have been included in one account along with advances for the maintenance of restored tanks, in some of the Districts. The Deputy Commissioners of Kolar, Mysore and Chitaldrug have therefore shown the disbursements and recoveries made on account of both these classes of advances.

2. The Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District, reports that the Amildars of Mandya and Nagamangala have not taken any action to bring about a speedy adjustment of the advances. vide copy of the Deputy Commissioner's letter No.1017, dated

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From

K. Doraswami Iyer Esquire,

Offg. Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Government of
H. H. the Maharajah of Mysore,
General & Revenue Departments.

Dated Bangalore, 13th June 1912

Despatched

Received

General No.

ENCLOSURE No. 2,

SUBJECT.

Forwards a consolidated statement
showing the recoveries made during
1910-11 in respect of advances granted
for earthwork to unrestored minor
Tanks.

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23rd May 1912, enclosed. Their inaction appears to ~~and~~ deserves notice.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

H. H. M. Chetty

*Assistant to the Revenue Commissioner
For Offg. Revenue Commissioner.*

absent on leave.

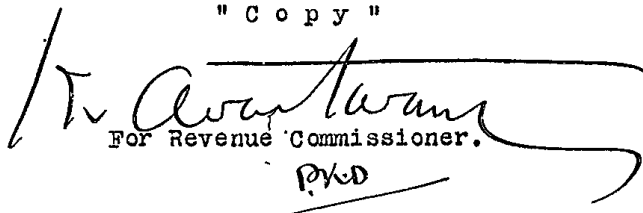
P.K.O.

V.M.R.

Letter No.1017 dated 23rd May 1912 from the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District to the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

With reference to your No.11932 dated 23rd April 1912 calling ^a for statement showing the recoveries made in all the Taluks, I have the honor to forward for information a statement showing the recoveries effected in this District Talukwar. The Amildars of Chamarajanagar, Malvalli, Krishnarajpet, Hunsur and Mysore Taluks have taken steps towards recovering the advances granted. The Amildar of T-Narsipur Taluk has since reported that the advance of Rs 62-8-0 granted in his Taluk has been recovered. The Amildars of Nanjangud and Gundlupet Taluks report that the works for which the advances have been granted are still incomplete and that the full amounts will be recovered as soon as the works are completed. The Amildars of Mandya and Nagamangala Taluks have not ^{taken any action in the matter; the former} even replied to the many reminders issued to him and the latter reports that he has given necessary orders to the Hobli Shekdars and he perhaps believes that his responsibility in the matter has thereby ceased.

" C o p y "


For Revenue Commissioner.
P.K.D.

V.M.R.

Statement showing the recoveries made out of advances granted for earthquake

Serial No.	District	Advances			A re d 1
		outstanding at the beginning of 1910 - 11.	granted during 1910 - 11	Total	
1	2	3	4	5	
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1	Bangalore	5,591	—	5,591	
2	Kolar	×	×	38,933 ^x	
3	Tumkur	18,690	1,503	20,193	
4	Mysore	×	×	15,577 ^x	
5	Hassan	3,334	353	3,687	
6	Shimoga	2,569	75	2,644	
7	Kadur	1,231	281	1,512	
8	Chitaldroog	×	×	4,212 ^x	
	Total			92,349	

× Figures not furnished.

x Include advances in respect of restored

Revenue Commissioner's
Office,
Dated Bangalore 13th June
1912.

As during 1910-11:

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to unrectored minor tanks.

Amount covered during 10-11	Balance outstanding at the close of the year 1910-11	Remarks
Rs: 697	Rs: 4,894	8
5849 ^x	3308 ^x	
1,785	18,408	
659 ^x	11,918 ^x	
2,92	3,375	
2,577	643	② In the Shikaripur Taluk a sum of Rs. 2,492-15-0 was recovered against an advance of only Rs. 2137-9-3. The Deputy Commissioner has been asked to explain this.
617 ^(*)	933 ^(*)	③ A sum of Rs. 38/- was recovered in excess of the advance granted for the earthwork of the Bidar Tank Hadur Taluk. The Deputy Commissioner states that this will be returned if not utilized.
1,858	2,354 ^x	
7,334	75,429	

tanks as well.

T. Cartman
For Revenue Commissioner

W.M.S.

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore

READ—

Letter No 14242 of 13-6-12from the Res. Commr in MysoreDate of issue 20. 7-12Submitting a Statement
Showing the ^{During 1910-11} recoveries made out of
the advances granted for the ex-Signed by Mr. P. B. Souzacutting of earthen work to unres-

ORDER THEREON. No.

tored minor tanks at theend of the off year 1910-1911in the several S. of the

over.

SUBJECT.

Shows the submission of a statement
showing recoveries of advances for execution
of earthen work to unresorted minor tanks
in the several S. of the end of year.

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Order thereon No R 368

Dated 20.7.12

Recorded -

2. The irregularities in the ~~keeping~~ account relating to the advances in the several ~~pts~~ have been pointed out and the correct procedure indicated for future guidance in go. No R 4326-88 - Apr 29-10 & 17.2.1912.

3. The Rev Commr is requested to submit form after the close of the off year, ^{before} ~~say~~ by the end of August, a consolidated statement in the subjoined form to enable ~~first to judge~~ showing his revenues & advances of his year whether the revenues made are satisfactory and furnishing explanation whenever the recovery is deficient -

Sl.	Advances		Amount to be recovered during the year if the advance is recoverable in instalments	Amount actually recovered during the year	Balance remaining at the end of the year
	outstanding at the end of the previous year	granted during the year			
	19-19	19-19			

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GENERAL AND REVENUE
SECRETARIAT.

(Continuation sheet draft form.)

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Explanatory should
be given wherever the
recovery is deficient.

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The Rev Commr in Mysore

Subd
may this order
be printed

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS
THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

REVENUE (AGRICULTURE)

P R O C E E D I N G S

Dated 20th July 1912

No. R. 368
Agri. 79-10-14

Directing the submission of a consolidated statement showing recoveries of advances made for the execution of earth-work to unrestored minor tanks in the several districts by the end of August every year.

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*Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Revenue (Agriculture), dated 20th July 1912.*

READ—

Letter No. 14242, dated the 13th June 1912, from the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, submitting a statement showing the recoveries made during 1910-11 out of the advances granted for the execution of earthwork to unrestored minor tanks in the several districts.

No. R. 368—AGRI. 79-10-14, DATED BANGALORE, 20TH JULY 1912.

ORDER THEREON.—Recorded.

2. The irregularities in the accounts relating to these advances in the several districts have been pointed out and the correct procedure indicated for future guidance in Government Order No. R. 4376-86—Agri. 79-10-10, dated the 17th February 1912.

3. The Revenue Commissioner is requested to submit soon after the close of the official year, before the end of August, a consolidated statement in the subjoined form showing the recoveries of advances during the year and furnishing the explanation wherever the recovery is deficient.

District	Advances		Total	Amount to be recovered during the year if the advance is recoverable in instalments	Amount actually recovered during the year	Balance outstanding	Remarks
	Outstanding at the end of the previous year 19 -19	Granted during the year 19 -19					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

K. R. SRINIVASIENGAR,
Offg. Secy. to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Depts.

To—The Revenue Commissioner in Mysore.

Exd.—C. R.